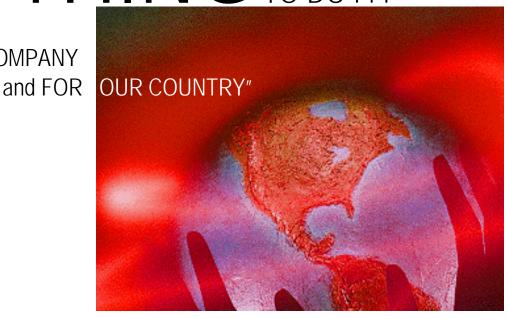
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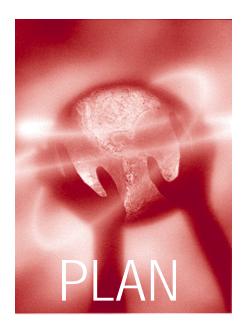


"Today, we are ending welfare as we know it.

But I hope this day will be remembered, not

for what it ended, but for what it began."

President Bill Clinton August 1996 Signing of the welfare reform bill



- Proactively provide job opportunities in support of welfare reform
- Successfully sustain welfare-to-work incumbents in their assignments
- Create a new source of entry workers
- Let success speak for itself. Communication will be response oriented and well prepared
- responsive to our principle of being a socially responsible learning organization



## LESSONS LEARNED

- Strong community partnership programs and support needed for special workforce requirements
- Quality more important than quantity
- Financial incentives should not be the primary goal
- Participant's motivation & attitude are key
- Companies must be proactive and "reach out" to communities and participants to be successful

### SUCCESS MEASUREMENTS

- Number of welfare-to-work placements
- Retention consistent with other XBS employees and temporaries
- Advancement and/or skill development
- Community organizations
  engaged and meeting standards



# MENTOR PROGRAMS

- •"Friends at Work"
- •"Genesis"



### FRIENDS at WORK

- Support program for new hires in partnership with Women In Community Service (WICS)
- Simple concept . . think of first day at work . . we can all use a friend at work
- Match Leaders and Learners
- Videos, collateral and training materials developed
- Extra benefit . . designed to be available for all new hires



# <u>GENESIS</u>

- XBS/XFCU collaboration
- Pre-approved Line of Credit
- Pre-approved VISA Card
- Personal Member Service Representative
- 12-month Educational Program
- Program available only to "Re-Entry to Work" participants within XBS

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